

## ACCUSED OF FRAUD IN SAN FRANCISCO.

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Turf Follower, Arrested at  
Terminal Hotel.

SAID TO BE LEADER OF GANG.

Complainants Are Merchants Who  
Declare They Were Swin-  
dled—Two Men in Custody  
in California.

Percy J. Young, who claims to be a follower of the turf, was arrested at the Terminal Hotel yesterday morning by Detective Howard and Gallagher on a telegram from the Chief of Police of San Francisco, Cal., which stated that the prisoner was wanted in that city on a felony charge. Young denies emphatically that he is guilty of any offense on the Pacific Coast or elsewhere, but telegraphic advices from San Francisco indicate that the authorities have been looking for him and several companions for some time.

Concerning his career on the Coast the



PERCY J. YOUNG.

following special telegram was received by The Republic last night from San Francisco:

Percy J. Young is said by the authorities to be the head of an advertising concern which victimized many firms throughout the United States, but principally on the Pacific Coast.

Requisition papers will be placed in the hands of a detective to-morrow, who will at once proceed to St. Louis and bring the prisoner back to this city.

Young has operated successfully in all the large cities on the Pacific Coast. He is charged with having defrauded Los Angeles banks and bankers out of \$100,000, and with having victimized bankers and merchants at Victoria, Vancouver, Nainaimo and other Northern towns of large sums on the same proposition.

Young has been in California for some time, and is said to have been in this city and fully as much more from other firms.

Five charges of felony are pending against him for obtaining money by false pretenses. Young has \$300 in two local banks, which has been attached by the detective agency, and he is said to have been in the standing accounts. Kelly and Hayes, two of his pals, are in custody here, and two more are being sought by the detective in this city and liable to be apprehended at any moment.

Young arrived here on Saturday with his wife, who was Miss Zona Ryan, and whose family still lives in this city. He claims he was on his way to San Francisco and that he was in the city for some time.

In their search for Young the police officials of California were assisted by the Chief of Detectives of this city, who has offices in this city and Chicago, and for some time operatives of this company were shadowing him.

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## COULD NOT LIVE WITHOUT HUSBAND.

Body of Mrs. Lehnis, Who  
Drowned Herself After Killing  
Child, to Be Buried To-day.

FORMERLY LIVED IN ST. LOUIS.

Husband Died Last April at Mem-  
phis, Tenn.—Widow Went to  
Cincinnati to Work—One  
Son Remains Alive.

In a little cemetery at St. Albans, W. Va., will be buried this afternoon the last scene in one of the real tragedies of everyday life. An additional point of interest to St. Louisans lies in the fact that the principals were until recently residents of this city. Beside the newly made grave of Charles Lehnis, formerly a young railroad man of this city, will be buried in one coffin the bodies of his wife, who committed suicide Thursday by jumping into the Ohio River at Cincinnati, and of his infant son, whom she killed a few minutes before taking her own life. A futile attempt was made also to kill her older son.

Charles Lehnis was local contracting agent of the Kanawha Dispatch freight line and lived at No. 330 Locust avenue north Ave. 1, when he was promoted for his efficient services and sent to Memphis, Tenn. While arranging his new home at that place he contracted a cold, which developed into rapid pneumonia, from which he died on April 6, Charles, 4 years old, and Thornton, an infant son, were left on Mrs. Lehnis's hands. After her husband's death she grew more and more despondent until it all culminated in her desperate act of Thursday.

A note which she left as a farewell message to her brother explains that since her husband died to her seemed to care for her and she found it impossible to get along with relatives with whom she had to live. While the note in the main is quite practical it closes like one of a maniac's, declaring that she is the happiest person in the world, as she in a few hours would join her dead husband. Mrs. Lehnis was obliged to earn a living from the time she was 16 years old, and did not know what happiness was, as she often said, until she was married.

At her husband's death Mrs. Lehnis was left in a strained circumstance, but through the efforts of Mr. Stockwell Daily, local agent for the Kanawha Dispatch, under whom Lehnis was employed, she was given a position in the office at Cincinnati, where she worked up to the day of her death. She lived with two sons of her husband in New York, a suburb of Cincinnati.

On the fourth of July Mrs. Lehnis, it seems, criticised one of her children and the two sons took the part of the mother. The result was that Mrs. Lehnis left the house with the two children. She went to the house of a friend in Lombardy, but her friend had moved out. Mrs. David McManus, the widow of a friend, who was a friend of Mrs. Lehnis's, told her that she was willing to take them in for the night and showed them to her room.

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SHOT BY OFFICER IN KANSAS CITY.

John Julian, Who Is Suspected of Shooting Detective Keely, Under Arrest.

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